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SUBJ: MIAMI MAYOR ON LOBSTERS

1. MIAMI MAYOR MAURICE FERRE PHONED ME TODAY. IN ESSENCE HE RELATED THAT WHAT HE TERMED "SUBSTANTIAL CITIZENS IN THE MIAMI AREA" HAD RECENTLY BEEN REPORTING TO HIM THAT PRIMIN PINDLING DESIRED TO SPEAK WITH THE MAYOR, PRESUMABLY ABOUT THE LOBSTER PROBLEM. THE MAYOR WANTED TO SOUND OUT MY JUDGMENT AS TO WHERE MATTERS STOOD.

2. I REPEATED TO THE MAYOR MY UNDERSTANDING OF THE SITUATION WHICH, AS DEPARTMENT WELL KNOWS, IS THAT THE ISSUE IS ESSENTIALLY DEAD, AT LEAST FOR THE TIME BEING IF NOT FOR THE INDEFINITE FUTURE. NEVERTHELESS, I INDICATED TO THE MAYOR THAT ANY POSSIBILITY THAT SOMETHING COULD BE GENERATED WHICH WOULD HELP OUR FISHERMEN SHOULD NOT BE OVERLOOKED AND I WOULD TAKE A LOW-KEY SOUNDING WITH THE PRIMIN TO SEE WHETHER AN INVITATION WAS BEING FLOATED INFORMALLY.

3. I SUBSEQUENTLY DID RAISE THE MATTER WITH THE PRIMIN WHO ASSURED ME THAT MY UNDERSTANDING OF THE SITUATION HERE RELATIVE TO THE LOBSTERS WAS PRECISELY

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CORRECT. I HAVE CONVEYED FOREGOING TO MAYOR FERRE.

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